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I, Micheal L. Schwegman, am the attorney of record for the above identified patent application as evidenced by the Power of Attorney filed in the present application on April 8, 2004. I am making this petition on behalf of Micron Technology, Inc., the assignee of the present invention. As the attorney of record, I am empowered to act on behalf of the assignee and, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b)(iv), to sign this terminal disclaimer.

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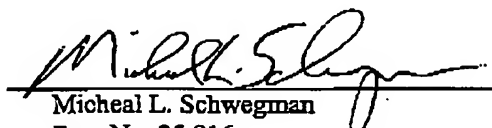
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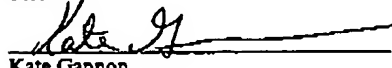
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